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Applicant: GU, Wenbin et al.
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MANAGEMENT IN PEM FUEL CELL
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**REQUEST TO REOPEN PROSECUTION,
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER
37 C.F.R. §1.114(d), AND RESPONSIVE
AMENDMENT TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

Applicants hereby request to reopen prosecution in the present application (which is currently on appeal) and submit herewith a Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR 1.114(d) along with a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, this responsive amendment to the Final Office Action with claim amendments, and the required fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e).

Applicants incorporate by reference the arguments and content of the Appeal Brief filed February 28, 2007 and the Reply Brief filed September 11, 2007, as though fully set forth herein.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 14 of this paper.